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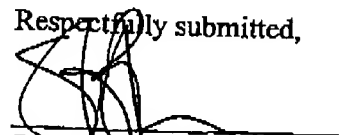
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4. Abstract of JP 06327231, publication date 11/25/94, titled "Stator for Superconducting Rotary Electric Device"
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